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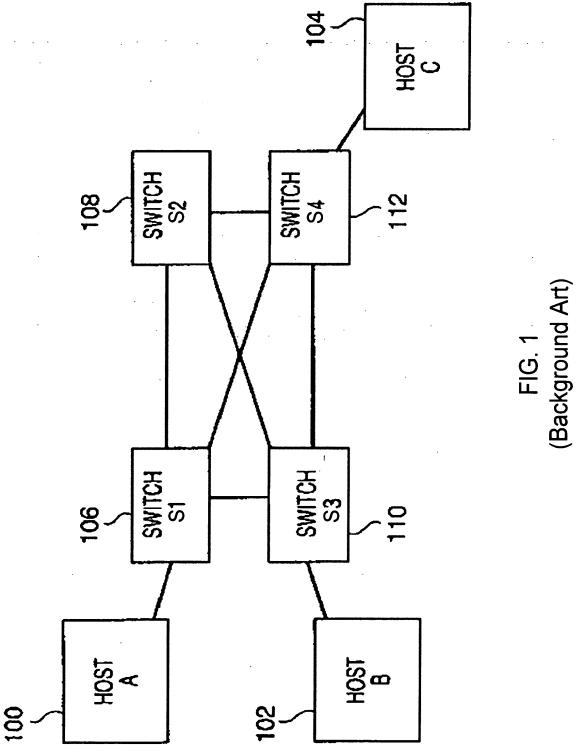
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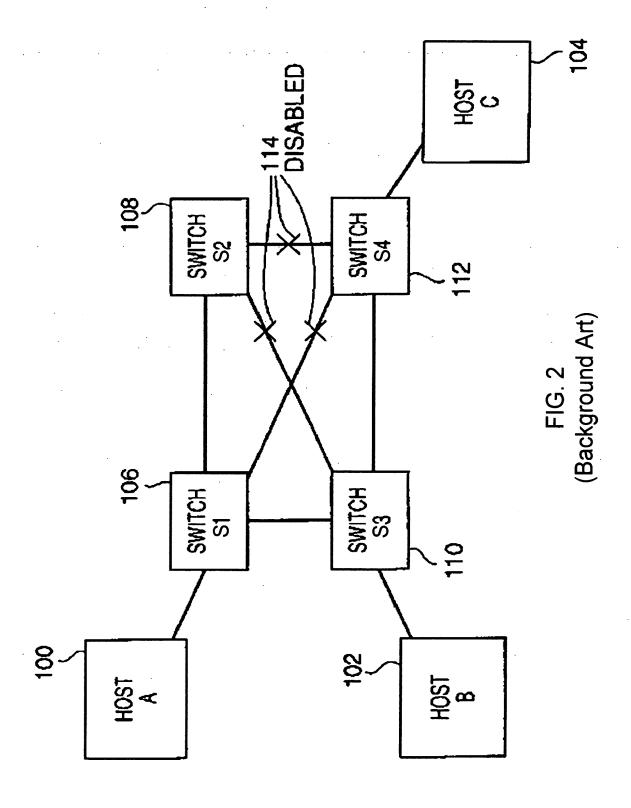
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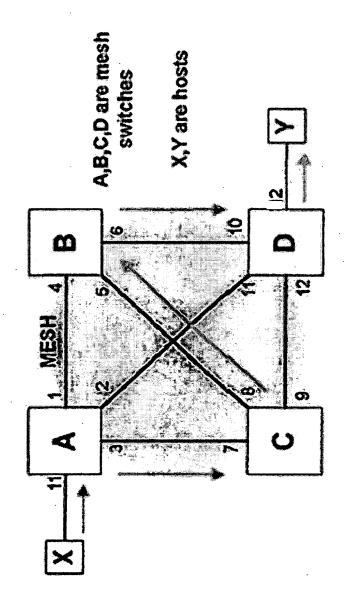
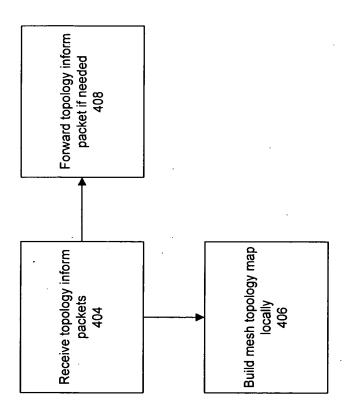


FIG. 3 (Background Art)



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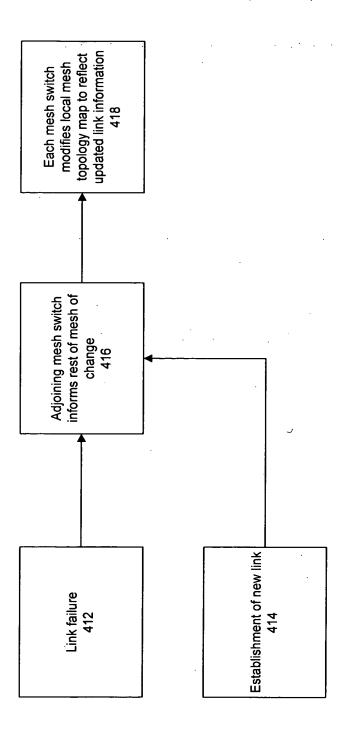


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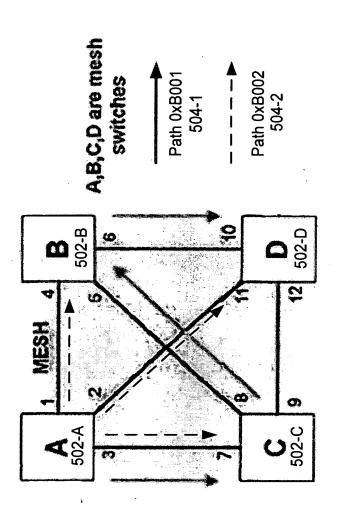


FIG. 5

Path Identifier (0-15) 606	4 bits	
Destination Switch Identifier 604	6 bits	FIG. 6
Source Switch Identifier 602	6 bits	

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Broadcast Path Identifier (0-15) 706	4 bits	
000000	6 bits	FIG. 7
Source Switch Identifier 702	6 bits	

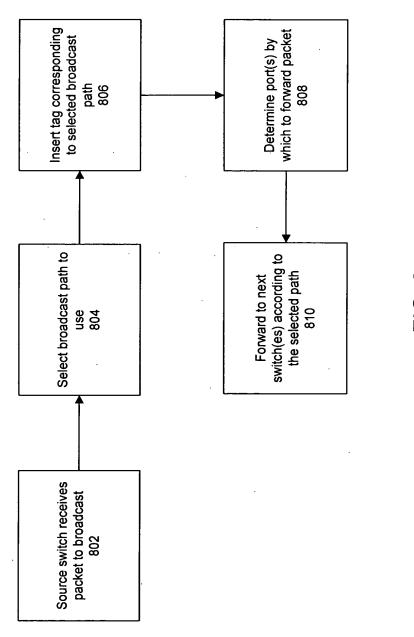


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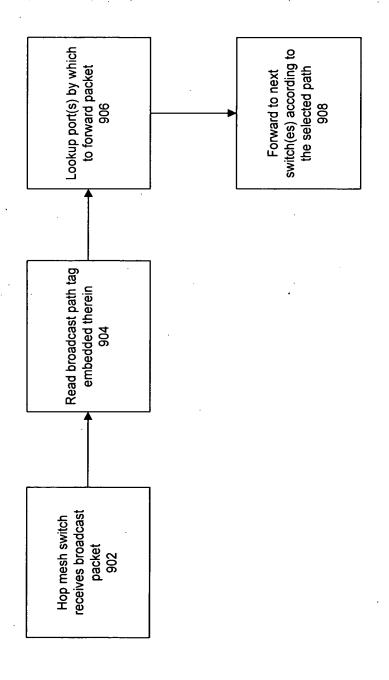
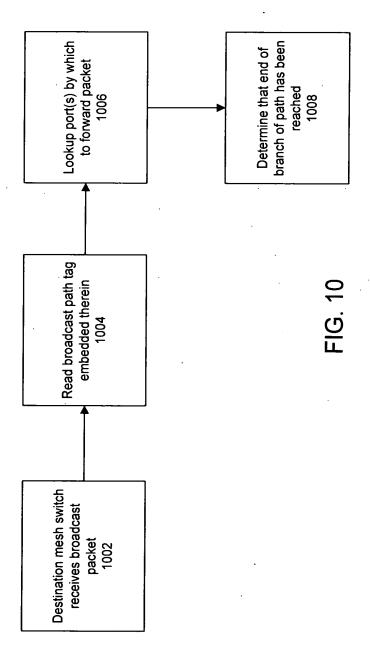
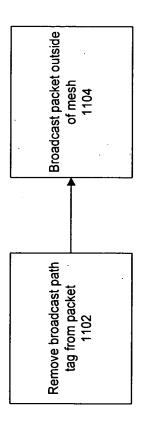
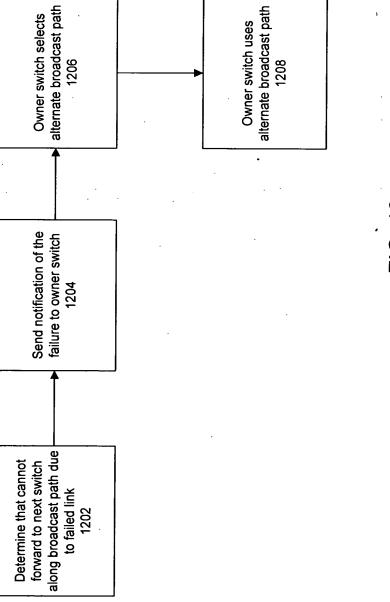


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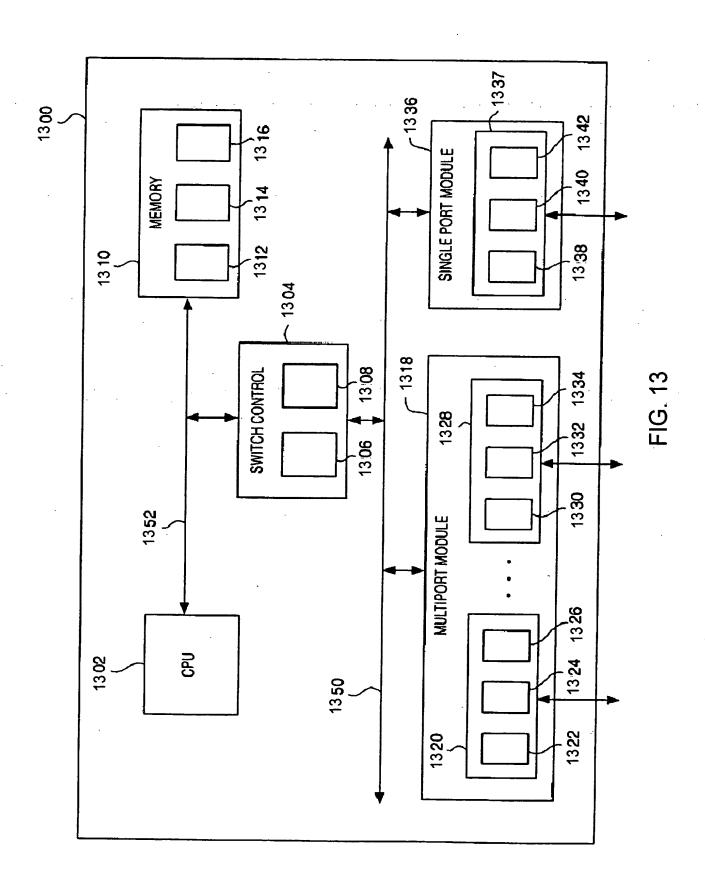




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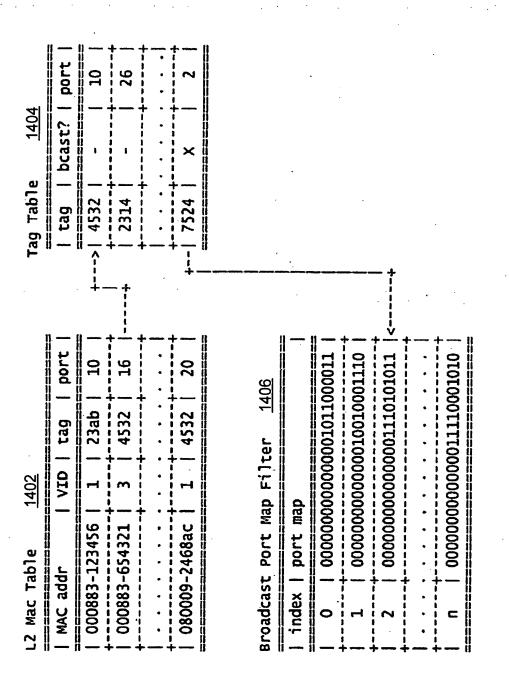


FIG. 1